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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of MARIA TATE, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, Joseph Lewis, executor of the will of said Maria Tate, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor, at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the east side of the Plaza, in Sonoma City, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

JOSEPH LEWIS, Executor of the will of Maria Tate, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, Cal., Oct. 16th, 1909. ROBERT A. POPPE, Attorney for estate. First publication, Oct. 15, 1909.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of ANN BAIN, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Ann Bain, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the east side of the Plaza, in Sonoma City, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in said County of Sonoma, State of California.

ROBERT A. POPPE, Administrator of the estate of Ann Bain, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, Cal., September 15th, 1909. ROBERT A. POPPE, attorney for estate. First publication, Sept. 14, 1909.

NOTICE TO

Tax-Payers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

I, That all taxes in the City of Sonoma for the year 1909-10 on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, 1909,

And will be delinquent on the

Third Monday in November

Next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, 15 per cent. will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

First Monday in February

Next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., an additional 5 per cent. will be added thereto.

II. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January

Next, and will be delinquent on the

First Monday in February

Thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent. will be added to the amount thereof, and that liens will attach after the

First Monday in March, 1910,

At 6 o'clock p. m.

III. That all taxes may be paid at the time when the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

IV. Taxes may be paid at my office in the City Hall on any day, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 1 p. m.

JAS. H. ALBERTSON,

City Tax Collector.

Sonoma, September 18th, 1909.

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Sonoma, Cal.

FISH THAT WALK.

Climbing Perch Travel Over Land From Water to Water.

It may seem absurd to speak of fishes as walking. The flying fish is well known, but its flight looks much like swimming in the air. We naturally think of fishes as living always in water, as being incapable, in fact, of living anywhere else. But nature maintains no hard and fast lines of distinction between animal life which belongs to the land and that which belongs to the water. If we can believe the accounts of naturalists, there are fishes that traverse dry land.

It is reported that Dr. Francis Day of India has collected data of several instances of the migration of fishes by land from one piece of water to another.

A party of English officers were upon one occasion encamped in a certain part of India when their attention was attracted by a rustling sound in the grass and leaves. Investigation showed it to be caused by myriads of little fishes that were making for one direction and were passing slowly on. There were hundreds of them moving by using their side and small fins as feet, now upright, now falling down, squirming, bending, rolling over, regaining their finny feet and again pressing on.

These fishes were the famous climbing perch, and they were passing over the country to avoid a drought. When the stream in which they have been spending the season dries up they scale the banks and, directed by some marvelous instinct, crawl to another—Pearson's Weekly.

A HOPEFUL POET.

Failure to Recognize His Genius Didn't Dampen His Ardor.

Paddy Quinn, a type of bohemian found only between the covers of a cheap novel, was sentenced by Justice Samuel C. Hyde, congressional representative for Washington during territorial days, to serve ten days on the rock pile after confessing that he had worked only seventy-five minutes during his stay of two months in Spokane. Asked by the court to explain how he earned a living, the prisoner said:

"I am a poet, but there is no use explaining to you that which would be unintelligible to your mind. I will recite some of my poetry instead. I will read a few stanzas from my masterpiece."

Before Quinn could give voice to the second line of his latest work the court had imposed sentence and the sweet singer was on the way to the city jail, where his tattered garments, oxford shoes and flesh colored hose were exchanged for overalls, jumper and hobnailed brogans. His long black hair and flowing beard were also trimmed for hygienic purposes, and armed with a six pound hammer, he started for the rock pile, mumbling as he left the station:

"The muse got an awful jolt that time at the hands of an unsympathetic judge; but, then, there's hope. Recognition will come some time. It must come. Officer, please see that Pegasus is properly cared for until I return!"

The Lunatic's Idea of It.

"I was going through one of the wards the other day," said the superintendent of a lunatic asylum, "when one of the patients—incapacably insane, I believe—walked up to me to announce that he wanted to be discharged."

"Why?" I asked.

"Because I've been here three years, and that's long enough," he replied. "And I want to be discharged today, too," he added.

"I looked at him steadily for several seconds and then said:

"My dear fellow, do you realize that I have been here seventeen years and have not been discharged yet?"

"The question appeared to puzzle the man for an instant. Then he snapped at me:

"Well, you ought to have been discharged long ago."—New York Globe.

Corset Ancient Armor.

A French historian of women's dress states that the corset was worn by the ancient Egyptians. This assertion is borne out by the figures carved on the tombs of women, who are invariably represented as wearing a garment strongly resembling the modern corset. There does not appear to be any representation extant of Cleopatra VI., the beloved of Antony, but in one of the temples there is a figure of her predecessor, Cleopatra II., in which the sculptor has endowed her with a corset cut on the lines of those worn today. Whalebone was probably unknown to the Egyptians, but a nation capable of constructing pyramids without steam cranes would probably find no difficulty in making stays without busks.—London Chronicle.

His Favorite Song.

There is a young optician in Denver who sings very well, says the Post of that city. The other night he was making a call on a couple of sisters up on Corona street when he was asked to sing.

"What shall it be?" he asked as he went to the piano.

"Your favorite song," said one of the girls.

"All right," he replied, and then the optician sat down and sang "The Night Hath a Thousand Eyes."

Impertinent.

Mrs. Hank—if you won't do no work yer won't git no dinner, and that's all there is to it.

"Tell you what I am willing to do. I will give you a lesson in correct English. Is it a go?"—Life.

ONE AUGUST NIGHT,

She Was Told the Story of the Lady of Shalott.

By VIRGINIA LEILA WENTZ.
[Copyright, 1909, by Associated Literary Press.]

It had been an unusually oppressive day even for August. Every one seemed sleepy or sleeping. Cobblers slept with half mended boots in their laps; Italian women slept at their fruit stands with sleeping babies at their breasts; horses trotted conscientiously along in front of sleeping drivers.

In the department store where Antonia Wheaton worked the day had been difficult, especially behind the stuffy corner where she measured out ribbons. And, oh, what a godsend the loud sounding bell at 6 had been! Most of the girls in the store were city bred, and they accepted the conditions of August philosophically, but Antonia Wheaton had come from a fresh little country town in the west, and as she leaned out her boarding house window—the third floor hall room, back—a few minutes before going down to dinner it seemed to her that she was locked in a place of torment from which no escape was possible.

They dined at 7 in Mrs. Brown's boarding house. In the half hour that Antonia had been home she had taken a sponge bath, brushed her silky, flaxen hair and changed her black alpaca dress for a simple white muslin. As she leaned out of the window from the open space beside the storage house in the rear she could see the dust carts roll down the streets. The whisking of their big rotary brooms reminded the country bred girl of large turkey gobblers sweeping the earth with disdainful, proud wings. The open space faced the west, and, resting her little oval cheeks in her hands, Antonia could see that the sun was doing its best to set with some sort of rightful beauty, even in this homely downtown section.

"Where the quiet colored end of evening smiles!" Antonia was speaking to herself in a reproachable fashion that was growing on her, trying to recall some verses which Francis Logan had quoted to her one sunset time down on the Battery. She had fancied she could remember them, they were so simple and lovely.

Just then Mrs. Brown's cracked dinner bell rang.

Across the long, narrow table Francis Logan glanced at Antonia with something like a lump born of a big, protective instinct rising in his throat. Every vestige of fresh country rose bloom had fled from the girl's sweet face, and in the intervals when she fancied she was not observed the young fellow's alert eye noticed that black lashes rested heavily against her cheek as would those of one who is overweary.

Antonia's weariness struck home perhaps because of contrast. Francis himself was more than usually happy that night.

The big importing house where he was employed had that very morning sent a note to his desk informing him that his salary had been increased some \$10 a month. His dear mother, over in Devonshire, had just written him that a relative had left her an unexpected little legacy. Altogether the world was going well with Francis Logan.

"You look pleased, Mr. Logan," observed Mrs. Brown from her accustomed seat at the head of the table.

"Ah, I remember—this is your favorite soup!"

For five years now young Logan had been an inmate of Mrs. Brown's establishment without having ever changed his seat at table or his room. Naturally Mrs. Brown sought to ingratiate herself with him.

"Why, my dear," she had exclaimed once to Antonia in a burst of enthusiasm, "he knows all the poets by heart. He sees only the best plays, even though it may be from gallery seats. He knows all the finest pictures up in the Metropolitan. He has what they call an 'artistic' taste too. My lands, you should hear him notice the sunset at the end of a narrow city street or a tiny flower out in the park!"

"Yes, I know," said Antonia impulsively, for once coming out of her reserve. "He's pure gold—that's what he is!"

"Hub! Gold?" Mrs. Brown had retorted disdainfully. "None of your pretty, soft yellow stuff for him. He's good, solid, practical steel, if any one asked me. Don't you forget it, Miss Wheaton. And if you could be fortunate enough to tie up to him!"

Mrs. Brown had broken off abruptly at a dash from Miss Wheaton's eye. One dared not presume too far with Miss Wheaton, in spite of the silky, flaxen hair and the childish dimples, as many of the young men in the department store had found out.

"If only they could be a little more like Mr. Logan!" Antonia had more than once found herself commenting as she plucked up her colored bolts. "He is the soul of honor, and I—I don't know what I'd do without him!"

"Had a stroke of luck today, little girl?" Logan waylaid Antonia as she was going upstairs after the scanty saucer of raspberries, made purple with milk, had been eaten. "I want you to come out tonight and help me celebrate—if you'll do me the honor."

A little later, from the basement dining room window, Mrs. Brown, who was arranging her cloth for the next morning's breakfast, watched them go down the street together. Antonia, in her simple white muslin, wore a nodding spray of pink roses at her waist. As

they walked toward the west the young fellow's eyes were fastened adoringly upon her.

"Guess they'll hit it off all right," commented Mrs. Brown as she went on refilling the porcelain saltcellars.

"I'll tell you what we'll do," said Francis as they walked toward the cars. "We'll go out to Riverside drive and sit there for awhile till the night gets cooler; then we'll go to some big uptown restaurant and order some ice cold chicken salad."

"Oh," broke in Antonia in economic defense. "I'd just as lief go to a drug store and have some nice soda."

"Now, don't you bother about the expense, little one," said Francis gayly. "As I said, it's had a more stroke of luck today, and when we get out on one of those cool benches on the drive I'm going to tell you about it." Also he determined resolutely to himself he would tell her something else. She needed to be petted and taken care of.

The car ride to the river was long. The sun glow had faded entirely out of the west and the gray veil that spread between the night and day was already beginning to be pricked by the city's innumerable lights when finally they reached the drive and leaned over the stone wall that edged it. The Palisades on the opposite shore cast huge black shadows upon the water. Near by a yacht or two were at anchor. Silently, mysteriously, their lights came up, one by one. Over on the Jersey shore a big building which by day showed itself to be an unsightly factory now took on the majesty of a mediaeval castle.

"See the turrets and spires," said Francis, calling Antonia's attention to it. "Do you know the story of the Lady of Shalott?" he added. "She lived in a grand castle—well, pretend that's it," he nodded toward the factory— "and from the highest window she watched her lover, Sir Lancelot, going by, and she drifted down the river to find him. We'll pretend this is the river, and—dear little Lady of Shalott, will you let me be your Sir Lancelot? I love you and want you to marry me and let me take care of you. Surely, little one, you are so fragile and sweet you need to be taken care of. Will you?"

The girl's eyes as he spoke were distant. All the yellow lights on the yachts seemed to be swinging themselves together.

"Just look at my hair, Francis," Antonia was saying twenty minutes later, with a shy note of laughter.

"I'm looking at it, dear," said Francis oddly, with something like a catch in his rich young voice. "And just to think I'm going to have it to look at all my life!"

"Nicknackitorian."

London shopkeepers' slang is a dialect in itself and one that is always changing. What, then, is a "nicknackitorian?" We know not the word to-day; but, looking recently through some old law cases dating about a hundred years back, I was puzzled to find it applied in all good faith to describe a plaintiff in the sheriff's court. On further search it turned out to be a piece of forgotten cockney slang for a dealer in bric-a-brac.

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Sonoma, Nov. 13, 1909.

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

Sunshine and Showers.

THE rains which set in early last month and have continued off and on up to the present time, with one day for showers and two or three for sunshine, has started the wild grasses growing with amazing rapidity. This spring weather during the late fall and winter months will afford abundant pasturage for stock and in consequence our dairy-men are in high spirits. Early sown grain is also making a fine start and taking it all in all the season has opened most auspiciously for our farmers and stockmen, who are receiving fair prices for their products.

FRESNO is not to go dry after all. Mayor Rowell of that city on Thursday vetoed the anti-saloon ordinance passed by a spiteful Board of City Trustees. The Mayor, in justification of his course in vetoing the measure, says he did not consider it workable. We might here remark that Mayor Rowell, while favoring a strict regulation of the saloons, is dead set against prohibition and its long-haired and unreasonable advocates.

HENEY and his advocates have proved poor losers and are saying unwise and naughty things. This does not include the San Francisco Bulletin, which very graciously bowed to the will of the people, as expressed at the polls, and acknowledged that the graft prosecution had been condemned at the ballot-box.

CALENDAR DAY IN SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Seawell and Denny Dis-
pose of Many Civil Cases
Monday.

The resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court on Monday is as follows:

In Judge Denny's Department Ella Sebasta was named administratrix on the estate of Maggie Boylan in a bond of \$300.

The final account of the estate of E. F. Williams was settled and distribution ordered.

The will of the late Martin Lohr was admitted to probate and Emma Howard was named executrix without bonds.

The final account of the estate of John Lindsey was settled and distribution ordered.

The final account was settled and allowed in the estate of Joseph Oberfell.

F. L. Blackburn was named administrator on the estate of George F. Nelmes, without bonds.

The petition to sell realty of the estate of F. A. Wickersham was granted.

The petition for letters of administration in the estate of H. S. Greeley was dismissed.

These matters were continued: Estates of Samuel Brown to November 15, John McCann to November 22, William C. Bridge to December 20, Edward McDermott E. W. Davis, to November 15.

The demurrer was sustained in the suit of Margaret E. Starbuck vs. T. A. Kendall.

Default was entered in the suit of Albert E. Drake vs. Florence Drake, and was set for trial November 9.

These matters were continued: Mary E. Stephens vs. H. M. Maxwell, in re petition of J. F. Makowski, Hart vs. Hart, to November 15.

In Judge Seawell's Department the cases of the State vs. E. S. Rowland were continued for four weeks.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of H. Schenck.

The motion to tax costs in the suit of Simpson et al. vs. Huntley et al. was continued to November 15.

These matters were continued: Lottie A. Lumsden vs. Charles W. Lumsden, Cora E. Eckert vs. C. A. Black et al., to November 15th; J. B. Endicott vs. H. M. Williams et al., to January 27; G. A. Stillman & Co vs. A. B. Cartwright et al., to November 15th.

The suit of De Carly vs. Pyatt was dropped from the calendar.

The suit of Nellie Smith vs. Arthur Smith and the case of the State vs. C. H. Harris, were continued to November 15th.

The suit of Rachel J. Snyder vs. H. Cailleaud was set for November 22.

The suit of Hattie May Petray vs. James A. Petray, was continued to November 27.

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Notice that Application Has
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Supervisors of the County
of Sonoma, State of California,
for a Franchise, Right,
Privilege and Permission;
that Said Board Intends to
Grant the Same; and of the
Time and Place for the Re-
ceipt of Bids Therefor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT written application and petition has been made to, and filed with, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma, State of California, for a franchise, right, privilege and permission to lay, place, construct and maintain, under, through, upon, over and across, the county roads, highways, bridges, public ways, thoroughfares, streets and lanes and public grounds and places in said Sonoma county, pipes, pipe-lines and conduits, with the necessary service and supply pipes and conduits, and all necessary connections and appliances for the transportation, transmission and distribution of water and other substances, for the purpose of conveying, distributing, introducing into, supplying, storing, marketing and selling water and other substances to the inhabitants of said County of Sonoma, and collecting rates and compensation therefor, and for the purpose of conveying, distributing, introducing into, and supplying to cities and towns within said county, water and other substances; and for all other purposes for which the same can lawfully be used, for the period of fifty (50) years from and after granting of such franchise, right, privilege and permission; and that it is proposed to grant such franchise right, privilege and permission to the County of Sonoma, California. Notice is further given that said Board of Supervisors will receive sealed bids for such franchise, right, privilege and permission up to 12 o'clock M., on the

6th Day of January, 1910,

at the office of the County Clerk of said Sonoma county, who is ex-officio Clerk of said Board, and which said office is situated in Santa Rosa, Sonoma county, California, in the City of Santa Rosa, said county.

The construction of said work is to be commenced in good faith within not more than four (4) months from the date of granting of the franchise, and shall be completed within not more than three (3) years thereafter, and if not so commenced and completed within such times, respectively, said franchise, right, privilege and permission shall be forfeited; and that for good cause shown the Board of Supervisors of said County of Sonoma may by resolution extend the time for completion of said work not exceeding three (3) months.

The successful bidder and grantee of said franchise, right, privilege and permission, his heirs and assigns, must, during the life of said franchise, pay to said County of Sonoma two (2) per cent of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation and possession of said franchise; provided, however, that no percentage shall be paid for the first five years succeeding the date of said franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually, and in the event that said payment is not made, said franchise shall be forfeited. At the end of the sixth year from the date of granting of said franchise, and at the end of each year thereafter until the person, firm or corporation then owning or holding said franchise must make and file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said county a sworn statement of the gross receipts arising from the use, operation and possession of said franchise for the year then ending, and if a corporation then owns the franchise, the Secretary of such corporation is hereby designated as the officer who shall make such sworn statement on behalf of such corporation.

That it is proposed to grant said franchise, right, privilege and permission in accordance with the terms of an ordinance marked "Exhibit A" and made a part of the resolution authorizing the sale of said franchise, and directing notice thereof to be given by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, adopted on the 6th day of November, 1908, now on file with the Clerk of said Board, to which resolution and order reference is hereby made for further particulars.

That said bids are to be opened on the

6th Day of January, 1910, at the hour of 12 o'clock, M.,

on said day, and that then and there said franchise will be sold and awarded to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor; provided only that at the time of bidding of said bids any responsible person, firm or corporation present or represented may bid for said franchise or privilege, a sum not more than ten (10) per cent above the highest sealed bid therefor, and said bid so made may be raised not less than ten (10) per cent by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding shall continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Supervisors, to the highest bidder therefor in gold coin of the United States; each sealed bid shall be accompanied with cash or a certified check payable to the Treasurer of said County of Sonoma for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid shall be considered unless such cash or check is enclosed therewith, and the successful bidder shall deposit at least ten (10) per cent of the amount of his bid with the Clerk of said county before the franchise shall be struck off to him. And, if he shall fail to make such deposit immediately, then and in that case his bid shall not be received and shall be considered as void, and the said franchise shall then and there be again offered for sale to the bidder who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, subject to the same conditions as to deposit as above mentioned. Said procedure shall be had until said franchise is struck off, sold and awarded to a bidder who shall make the necessary deposit of at least ten (10) per cent of the amount of his bid therefor, as herein provided. Said bid, if not deposited, shall be forfeited, and the said franchise shall then and there be again offered for sale to the bidder who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, and under the same restrictions, as hereinbefore provided, and in case said bidder shall fail to deposit with the Clerk of said county the remaining ninety (90) per cent of his bid within twenty-four hours after its acceptance, the award to him of said franchise will be set aside, and the deposit theretofore made by him shall be forfeited, and no further proceedings for a sale of said franchise shall be had, unless the same shall be re-ad-

tised, and again offered for sale in the manner hereinbefore provided. The successful bidder for said franchise and privilege must within five (5) days after such franchise is awarded to him file a bond, running to said County of Sonoma, with at least two good and sufficient sureties to be approved by said Board of Supervisors, in the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), conditioned that such bidder shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of such franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of such bond, the whole amount of said penal sum shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond. That upon the filing and approval of said bond, the said franchise shall by said Board of Supervisors be granted by ordinance to the person, firm or corporation to whom it has been struck off, sold or awarded, and in case that said bond shall not be so filed, the award of said franchise shall be set aside, and any money paid therefor shall be forfeited, and said franchise shall, in the discretion of said Board of Supervisors be re-advised and again offered for sale in the same manner and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided. This notice is given and published in pursuance of a resolution and order of the said Board of Supervisors of said County of Sonoma, authorizing the same, adopted at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the 6th day of November, 1909, and dated November 8, 1909.

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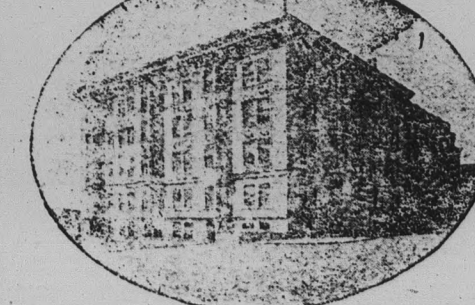
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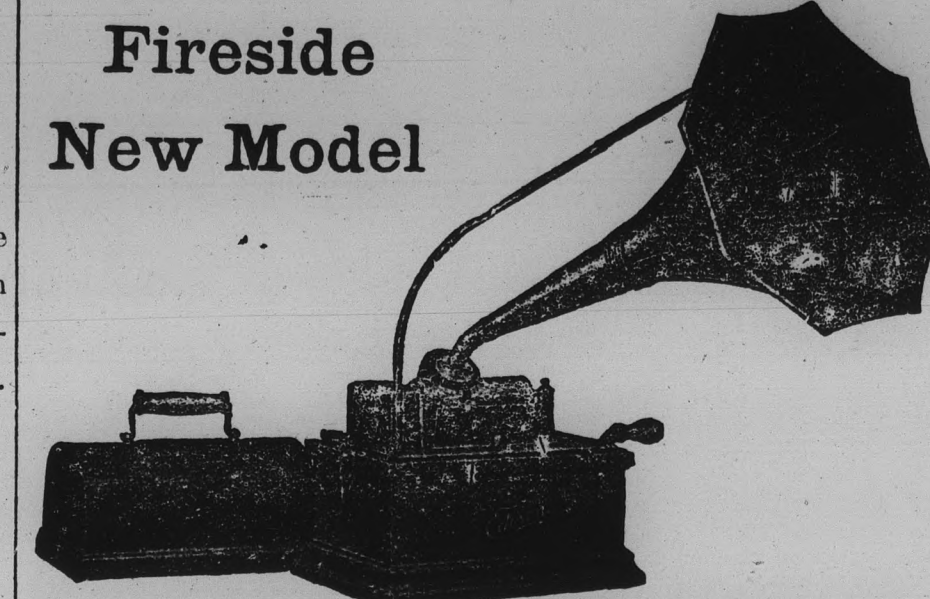
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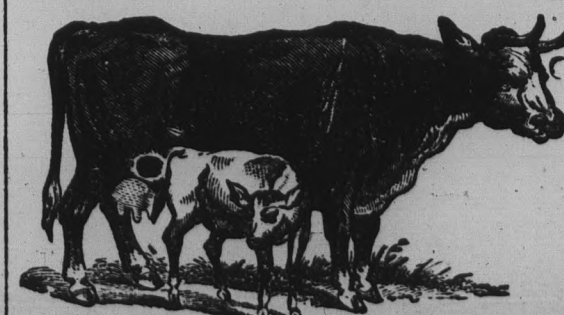
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COUNTY SALOON LICENSES RAISED.

Board of Supervisors Provide for Easy Money to Pay the Principal and Interest on the New Court House.

At the session of the Board of Supervisors just closed the licenses of all saloons outside the incorporated cities of the county were raised from \$25 to \$40 per quarter of three calendar months.

It is stated on good authority that the increase on saloon licenses in the county will provide sufficient revenue from the liquor retailers alone to pay the principal and interest on Sonoma county's half-million Court House now nearing completion in Santa Rosa.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Subscribe for the Index-Tribune Thanksgiving this year falls on November 25th.

The Sonoma Racket Store is having a special sale every day.

The Daily S. F. Call and Index-Tribune \$9 a year for both papers.

Ten per cent off on all Cloaks, Suits and Furs. The Sonoma Racket Store.

The first installment of city taxes will become delinquent next Monday after 6 p. m.

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

Ten to 25 per cent off on all Suits and Overcoats. The Sonoma Racket Store.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis on Broadway is nearing completion.

Potatoes are being sold upon our streets by peddlers at one cent per pound by the sack.

Twenty-five per cent or one-fourth off on all Millinery. The Sonoma Racket Store.

Another story has been added to the Depot Saloon building in the northern part of town.

Fine Turkeys and Geese for Thanksgiving. Order early. Schell, Schellville, Cal.

The stone bridge, being built across Nathanson's creek for the city by contractor Trudgen is nearing completion.

Eph. Weiss, the expert refractionist and optician of San Francisco, will be in Sonoma at the Union Hotel Dec. 2nd.

Wanted—Land near El Verano or Sonoma in exchange for two lots in Mission District, San Francisco, worth \$1200. Paul Holmes, 497 Falcon avenue, San Francisco.

Joaquin Carrillo of Santa Rosa, a member of one of the pioneer Spanish families of this county, has donated \$5 toward the preservation of the old Mission building in this place.

The attention of the traveling public is called to the advertisement of the One Mile House which appears elsewhere in these columns. The proprietor, Emil Alber, is a well-known caterer and deals exclusively high class goods. When passing by that way drop in and see him.

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Victims of Tragedy Cremated in Odd Fellows Cemetery.

The remains of Ignatz Novikov, the suicide, and his victims, Mrs. Scholz and her daughter, Miss Bettie Scholz, were cremated in Odd Fellows cemetery Thursday. It is stated that the widow of Novikov and her infant children will make their future home with the aged father on his farm near this city. Mrs. Novikov is said to be an accomplished woman.

WM. A. SEIPP HAS PASSED AWAY.

Expires on the Poppe Ranch Near Glen Ellen After Brief Illness.

William A. Seipp passed away on the Poppe ranch near Glen Ellen last Tuesday after a brief illness.

The announcement of his death came as a surprise to his friends in this place, as it was not known to many that he was seriously ill. His death was due to a general breaking down.

William Seipp was born and raised in this place and had lived here almost continuously since the day of his birth. He was a bachelor but leaves two brothers and a sister, the latter being Mrs. Marie Chase of this place. His brothers are G. T. Seipp of Sonoma and J. H. Seipp of Santa Clara county. The deceased was aged 52 years and six months.

Water Franchise Applied For.

L. L. Lewis, President of the Yulupa Land and Water Company of this valley, appeared before the Supervisors last Saturday and applied for a water franchise to pipe water from his reservoir on the Lewis ranch two miles west of El Verano to the western limits of Sonoma. His object is to supply El Verano and the small farms along the route of the proposed pipe line with water for domestic and garden purposes.

It is also hinted that the Lewis Company has an eye out to supplying Sonoma with water for domestic purposes and that an effort will be made to absorb the Sonoma City Water Company, owned by Mrs. Lulu Empanan and Mrs. H. Cutter, daughters of the late Gen. Vallejo.

As the water supplied for domestic purposes by the Vallejo system is the purest in the world our people would not take kindly to a change. The only thing lacking in that system is pressure, and should General Vallejo's daughters decide to construct a reservoir on the high hill overlooking the present reservoir, ample pressure could be secured for fire and other purposes. Engineer Press Davis has been figuring on this improvement for some time, but lack of capital has prevented the construction of a new reservoir. With the Lewis Company threatening to enter the field, it is probable that the reservoir will now be built. In which case Sonoma then will have one of the best water systems of any town of its size in all California.

Epicurian Treat.

G. F. Giovannoni, the celebrated chef of the Sonoma Hotel, has placed us under obligations this week for a big platter of ravioli, which was a feast fit for the gods. The Sonoma Hotel, under the management of Mr. Giovannoni, is noted for its Italian and American cooking and is becoming very popular with epicures.

Now is the time to get your brandy, sherry, etc. for mince pies. Froment's Liquor Store.

Mr. Andrews, Superintendent of the Telephone Company, had his work interrupted by the rain several days this week.

Divorce Suit Dismissed.

The divorce suit instituted by Mrs. Happe a couple of weeks ago against her husband Tony Happe, has been dismissed. The parties to the suit are well-known residents of this place and the many friends of the couple will be pleased to know that they have settled their marital differences without severing the matrimonial tie.

The suit should never have been instituted in the first place and the efforts of H. P. Mathewson, attorney for Mr. Happe, to bring man and wife together, has at last been crowned with success.

Supervisors Discuss New Court House.

The Board of Supervisors met in adjourned session on Thursday afternoon, with Architect J. W. Dolliver, Contractor R. Ehrhart, Sub-contractor George P. Sullivan, District Attorney Clarence F. Lea, Superintendent of Construction J. J. Murray, and others present.

Matters concerning the court house were discussed in a general way, and the laying out of the court house grounds received some attention from the assemblage. The grounds will be beautifully adorned with flowers and shrubs.

Local Girls Win Game.

The game of basket ball played in Union Hall last Saturday by the Sonoma and Mill Valley High School girls, was well worth seeing. Our local girls played a splendid game and defeated the Mill Valley team in a score of 33 to 13. The line up of the Sonoma team was as follows: Forwards, E. Cooper and R. Albright; guards, G. Calderwood and F. Rouquie; centers, M. Buchan and H. Weber.

Mrs. Quartaroli Assumes Charge

Mrs. L. Quartaroli has assumed full charge of the El Dorado Hotel in this place recently thrown open to the public. It is Mrs. Quartaroli's intention to make her hotel a first-class resort and being an experienced landlady will have no difficulty on that score. When the new addition is finished it will be one of the most attractive buildings in town.

New Masonic Temple.

Rapid progress is being made on the new Masonic Temple in course of construction in this place, and the contractors, Hoyt Bros. of Santa Rosa, expect to turn over the building to the Masonic fraternity before the new year. The building, which will be a handsome and substantial structure, is being erected under the supervision of Messrs. Jesse Burris, Ralph E. Perkins and J. D. Wagon, who were selected by the local lodge of Masons for that purpose.

Masquerade Ball.

The Sonoma Driving Club will give a grand masquerade ball in Union Hall on Wednesday evening, November 24th (Thanksgiving eve). The gentlemen comprising the club are leading citizens of both town and valley and it will be their aim to make the ball the social event of the season. The club members will be there with their wives, their sisters, their cousins and their aunts.

Thanksgiving Turkey Raffles

There will be a turkey raffle in the Dal Poggetto building in this place next Saturday evening. It will be conducted by those popular young men, Messrs. James D. Modini and Theodore Kiser. On Sunday afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock, a big raffle is also billed for Sonoma Grove, one mile west of town.

Beneficial Showers.

The rain Tuesday and Wednesday was most welcome to our farmers, dairymen and stockmen. It was beneficial to fields that had already been seeded, put the ground in fine shape for plowing and gave the wild grasses, which have been growing very rapidly the past three weeks, a fresh start.

County's Strong Cash Box.

County Treasurer Glenn E. Murdock has filed his monthly report with the Board of Supervisors. The report shows a balance on hand in the county treasury on October 1st of \$280,624.20, and after payments for the month a balance of \$234,527.18 remains on hand.

Before going fishing or hunting don't forget to get a Martini Manhattan Cocktail at Froment's Family Liquor Store.

Sonoma Schools Receive Recognition from Abroad.

Sonoma county's public schools have been awarded a silver medal for the splendid exhibit of school work made at the Alaska-Yukon Exposition in Seattle. The exhibit was made up and forwarded by County Superintendent DeWitt Montgomery, and it has been given a place of prominence in the awards which its merits demanded.

LOCAL PEOPLE THE VICTIMS OF TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Mother and Daughter Slain by Son-in-Law, Who Instantly Adds Self Murder to Other Crime.

Mrs. T. Scholz and her daughter Miss Bettie Scholz were murdered in cold blood in the Tiburon waiting room, San Francisco, last Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock by Ignatz Novikov, son-in-law and brother-in-law of the slain women.

Novikov, was a carpenter and grocer living with his wife and two little children at 636 Missouri street, San Francisco, and frequently visited the Scholz family, who reside on their farm on Broadway one mile south of this place. The family was a quarrelsome one and the tragedy enacted at the ferry depot was the outcome of domestic discord of long standing.

Novikov, who had premeditated the murder, made his appearance in the Tiburon waiting room just before the boat started and was seen to be searching for some one. Finally he discovered Mrs. Scholz and her daughter seated upon one of the benches waiting for the boat to start, as they were bound for their home here. Deliberately walking up to the women he pulled a pistol and shot both through the heart, killing them almost instantly. He then turned the gun on himself and blew his own worthless brains out.

Just previous to the enacting of the tragedy the murderer and suicide penned the following note, which was subsequently found upon his remains:

"Dear Nikoff: Goodbye. I will shoot the mother and sister because they have come to my house and asked my wife why she lived with a Russian and why she did not pick a wealthy Jew, or a German, or some one who has lots of money. I will shoot the mother-in-law and sister just as I would a dog. We have been married a long time. I asked my wife why she did not take a German the first time she married. She has two babies now. If she did not have those I would shoot her, too. I tell my mother-in-law that she must go to her grave."

The Scholz family, consisting of father, mother, two unmarried daughters and a son, came to this place about three years ago and located on the old Wall ranch where they have since resided. They are Russians and report says exiles from that country. The daughters were highly accomplished musicians and Miss Bettie, one of the victims, was a member of the Musicians' Union of San Francisco, the members of which took charge of the remains of the mother and daughter.

The body of the murderer and suicide was turned over to his wife, August Scholz, the aged husband and father of the murdered wife and daughter, left for the scene of the tragedy Tuesday afternoon. He is a Russian and cannot speak English. Upon his arrival in San Francisco he went immediately to the home of Mrs. Novikov, the widow of the murderer and suicide, whom he found almost distracted and on the point of committing suicide. The old Russian says his son-in-law was shiftless and lazy and had been living off his wife for a long time. He says the refusal of his wife and daughter to give him money is what drove Novikov to commit the desperate and bloody deed.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings of the Various Sets in Both Town and Valley.

A. Lutgens spent Monday in San Francisco.

Mrs. P. McMullen took a trip down to Frisco Saturday.

Clarence Cheney was in town Sunday visiting his folks.

Lester Small and Paul Nauman drove to Kenwood Sunday.

Constable Allen of Glen Ellen was in Santa Rosa Saturday.

Mr. Skinner was down from Eldridge Thursday morning.

Geo. Wilbur of Eldridge was in town on business Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Poppe went down to San Francisco Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Doyle of the metropolis was here Sunday the guest of relatives.

W. S. Ross reports everything in splendid condition on his ranch.

Mrs. M. V. Cutter visited at the Empanan home several days this week.

S. Schocken and Tony Happe were visitors to Santa Rosa last Thursday.

Mrs. M. Farrell, proprietor of "The Oaks", was a Monday visitor in the metropolis.

Mrs. F. Clewe and family have left for Berkeley, where they will reside for the winter.

Miss Dorris Dorman has returned from a pleasant visit with her sister in Suisun.

Miss California Dunn was in town Sunday from the metropolis visiting her mother.

Clifford Bailey, formerly of this place but now of Alameda, was a Sunday visitor here.

Mrs. Keyes, aunt of Mrs. A. D. Lowell of this place, is seriously ill in San Francisco.

Raoul Empanan was here from San Francisco Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. L. Empanan.

Jack Gottenberg, who was in town a few days last week, returned Sunday to San Francisco.

A. Beretta took a spin up the county sent yesterday in his auto. Lawyer Mathewson accompanied him.

Friends of Mrs. L. H. Chapman of Napa have learned that she is now improving after an illness of three months.

Mrs. D. Fussell and family have left for Napa, where they will reside permanently. The Misses Fussell have accepted fine positions there.

Mr. Wm. McConnell of Santa Rosa, accompanied by a party of relatives came down in the former's auto Sunday, and spent the day with friends.

J. H. Seipp, ex-mayor of this place, was here from Sutterville, Santa Clara county, yesterday to attend the funeral of his brother Wm. A. Seipp.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church will hold a grand bazaar in connection with the Jubilee Singers at Union Hall, Monday evening, November 29th. Fancy and useful articles will be for sale.

Mrs. Robert P. Hill and Miss Doris Clewe of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club took a prominent part in the eighth annual convention of the San Francisco District of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, in session in San Jose on Wednesday. The former is chairman of the Waterways section and the latter chairman of the Press Work section.

The card party given by Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bigelow at their pretty country residence west of town last Wednesday evening was a very well affair. Sixty invited guests were present and cards were the feature of the evening's enjoyment, five hundred being the popular game. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Van Hooser carried off the first prizes, a gentleman's scarf pin and a handsome piece of cut glass. Elaborate refreshments were served at midnight.

Sonoma to Have Excellent Company Again.

"The Metropolitan Stock Co." will hereafter be known in Sonoma as it always been known in Petaluma as the "Robert Selman Stock Co." It is apparent from the Santa Rosa papers that this company is far above the ordinary run of repertoire companies. Their business prosperity bespeak their merit. We are glad to know that they are coming back for three nights, November 17th, 18th and 19th. The following are the plays which will be presented: "The Little Outcast," "The Minister's Wife," and "The Power of Gold." Prices 25 and 35 cents. Reserved seats on sale at Simmons Drug Store.

Attachment Released.

A number of creditors of Tony Happe, proprietor of the Bismarck Hotel, levied an attachment on his premises, last Tuesday morning which were placed in charge of a keeper. The amount involved was less than \$400 and an amicable settlement followed on Thursday evening. The creditors got their money, the attachment was released and the business of the Bismarck Hotel is going along the same as ever.

Old Boreas on a Tear.

Old Boreas got on his high horse early yesterday morning and made things hum for five or six hours. At times it blew a perfect hurricane but no damage resulted. By daylight the wind had gradually subsided and was followed by sunshine and balmy breezes.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

A One Volume Man.

A curious example of generous obstinacy was a stout English countryman who inquired for a nice book to read—"one with a story in." On several being placed before him, he examined them attentively and picked out the middle volume of a "three decker" with the remark: "This 'ere's my sort. What's the price?"

"Oh," was the reply, "this is only the second volume. The story goes through three. The set is half a crown."

"Have a crown! Well, I'll give ye that for that one book. It's a pretty one enough."

"But won't you have the other two as well? You'd better."

"Naw. I don't like th' beginnin' of a story. I can't get forrard w' it. An' I don't like th' endin'. I don't know as 'ow it's comd about. But in th' middle an' I'm into th' thick of it right off. No, I'll tak' th' middle un. It'll set me up for a month." And, cramming the book into his pocket, he put down his half crown and disappeared with a "Good night" before the other volumes could be given to him.—Chambers' Journal.

The Diamond Remains a Mystery.

As a substance the diamond is one of the mysteries of nature, one of the despairs of science. Nobody knows whence it came or how, whether it is a spark from a comet's tail or a crystallized drop squeezed in some horrible intensity of fiery convulsion from the white hot insurgent heart of the earth. Nobody knows much about it at all, except that it doesn't belong to this world. Some known black diamonds literally were from the skies. They came imbedded in meteorites cast upon Arizona and Chile by an unidentified star. One does not prospect for chips of stars as well search for the end of the rainbow. Neither is it practical to hammer all sorts of eruptive rock and conglomerate wherever come upon. Earthquake or volcanic upheaval districts are not necessarily the most promising, for often diamonds that seem to have had volcanic origin occur thousands of miles from the probable place of extrusion, carried thence, it is assumed, by glacial drift in some far back geological time.—Franklin Clark in Everybody's Magazine.

Struck a Bargain.

An old woman recently entered an optician's shop and asked to look at some spectacles. Choosing a pair, she asked the price.

"Five shillings," was the answer.

"And how much are they without the case?"

"I could not sell them for less than 4s. 10d.," said the tradesman, who was determined to get all he could.

"Do you only take off twopence for the case?" queried the woman.

"That is all. The case is worth no more than twopence," was the reply.

"That is good news!" ejaculated the old lady, with a sigh of relief. "It's the case for mine which I have lost."

So saying, she laid down the twopence and marched off with the coveted case before the astonished shopkeeper had time to interfere.—London Mail.

Taking After Father.

"It has its father's nose!"

"And its mother's eyes!"

"And Aunt Alice's mouth!"

"And Uncle Ebenezer's ears!"

Such, multiplied by about a hundred, were the criticisms leveled by kind friends against the Fitzboodle baby.

Then the unconcerned baby began to calmly chew his big toe.

"Ah!" murmured Mr. Fitzboodle. "Baby is certainly endowed with some of my wife's chief characteristics!"

"Not to mention you, Fritz Fitzboodle!" snapped his wife. "Baby never opens his mouth without putting his foot in it!"

Maternal Instinct.

We talk about "maternal instinct." There is no such thing. To be sure, there are things that have to do with young which females possess and males lack. The wasp lays its egg on the body of the caterpillar for the larva it will never see. The hen sits twenty-one days on any roundish, whitish object of the proper size. I have seen at a children's party every little girl leave the supper table on the advent of a baby and every little boy go stolidly on with his supper. But each kind of mother has its own bundle of instinctive reactions. There is no "maternal instinct" in the abstract.—McClure's Magazine.

Worrying About His Gas Bill.

"Madam, your husband has gas-trifles."

"Well, I do my best, doctor, to keep him away from the meter, but he will spend a lot of time in that damp cellar studying it."—New York Press.

So There.

"Of course you will get a flat when you are married and keep house?"

"George isn't such a flat as some people who are envious think he is, and it's none of your business if we keep house or board."—Exchange.

Pretty Strong.

"Is the baby strong?"

"Well, rather. You know what a tremendous voice he has?"

"Yes."

"Well, he lifts that five or six times an hour."—Exchange.

Methuselah.

Hoax—It's a good thing Methuselah wasn't a woman. Joax—Why? Hoax—The world would never have known how old she really was.—Philadelphia Record.

Striking manners are bad manners.

—Hall.

Happy Parents.

Distraught Mother—And what with these hedonistic bills an' all, mib, I sometimes says to myself, "Appy are the parents what never 'ad any children," I says.—London Bystander.

A Money Maker.

Sanso—He is not rich and yet he makes a great deal more money than he spends.

Rodd—How can that be?

Sanso—He works in the mint.

A Persian philosopher says, "The goat climbs the rocky hill, the wise man takes the valley road."

A Strenuous Mint.

He had been a regular Sunday caller for six months, when one evening he dropped in arrayed in a new suit. "That's a lovely wedding suit you have on," remarked the dear girl. "Why?" gasped the astonished young man, "it's a business suit!"

"Well," rejoined the d. g. calmly, "I mean business."


And the very next day he put up \$10.98 of his hard earned wealth for a solitaire.—Chicago News.

The Reason.

"Why do so many women rest their chins on their hands when they are trying to think?"

"To hold their mouths shut so that they won't disturb themselves."—Cleveland Leader.

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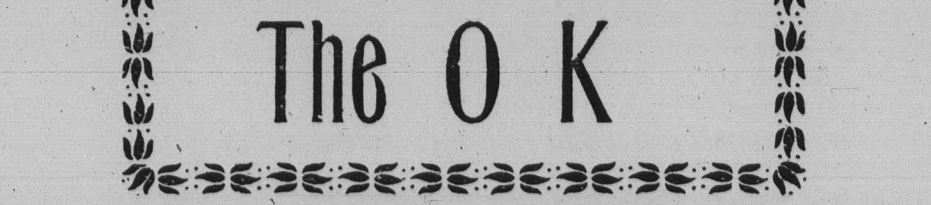
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